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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DEAD-BAND
DETERMINATION FOR ROTATIONAL
FREQUENCY DETECTORS**

Examiner: L. M. Nguyen

RESPONSE

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include attached replacement sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.